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To amend the Act that authorized the Canadian River reclamation project, Texas, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to allow use of the project distribution system to transport water from sources other than the project.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 20, 1997

Mr. THORNBERRY (for himself and Mr. COMBEST) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. USE OF DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OF CANADIAN**
4 **RIVER RECLAMATION PROJECT, TEXAS, TO**
5 **TRANSPORT NON-PROJECT WATER.**

6 The Act of December 29, 1950 (Chapter 1183; 43
7 U.S.C. 600b, 600c), authorizing construction, operation,
8 and maintenance of the Canadian River reclamation

1 project, Texas, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
2 lowing new section:

3 “SEC. 4. The Secretary of the Interior shall, subject
4 only to a review of the engineering design of the inter-
5 connection facilities to assure the continued integrity of
6 the project, allow use of the project distribution system
7 (including all pipelines, aqueducts, pumping plants, and
8 related facilities) for transport of water from sources other
9 than the project to municipalities that are receiving water
10 from the project at no cost to the Canadian River Munici-
11 pal Water Authority.”.

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